FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WARD SCOTT R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SURMODICS INC [SRDX]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9924 WEST 74TH STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2013									er (give title w)		Other (s		
(Street) EDEN PRAIRIE MN 55344 (City) (State) (Zip)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deri	vative	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed o	of, or Bo	eneficia	lly Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						2A. Deemed			3. 4. Securi Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) o		d Secu Bene Owne	icially d Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Price		ted action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 11/18/							013		A		1,328 A		\$0.0	00 2	,800(1)	300(1)			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deems Execution) if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date	Amount of		of s ng e Security	8. Price Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.58	11/18/2013			A		3,575		(2)	11	1/18/2020	Common Stock	3,575	\$0.00	3,57	5	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The amount beneficially owned includes unvested RSUs that will be settled in shares of the issuer's common stock at future service-based vesting dates.
- 2. The award vests in three equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the November 18, 2013 grant date.

Remarks:

/s/ Bryan K. Phillips, on behalf of Scott R. Ward

11/20/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

 $Reminder: \ Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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